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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

LESLIE RUTLEDGE, an individual, and
FALCO INVESTMENTS, a Canadian
company, derivatively on behalf of Nominal
Defendant Double Crown Resources, Inc.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DAVID FIGUIREDO, an individual; ALLEN
LOPEZ, an individual; GLEN SOLER, an
individual; JERRY DREW, an individual;
MARC DUNCAN, an individual; DIANE
DALMY, an individual; ANTONIO B.
CASTILLO, an individual; KEITH
TUBANDT, an individual; PAUL MURPHY,
an individual; BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF
DOUBLE CROWN RESOURCES, INC.,
individuals;

Defendants,

-and-

DOUBLE CROWN RESOURCES, INC., a
Nevada company,

Nominal Defendant.

Case No.

**VERIFIED SHAREHOLDER
DERIVATIVE COMPLAINT**

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

Plaintiffs Leslie Rutledge ("Ms. Rutledge") and Falco Investments, Inc. ("Falco"),
(collectively, "Plaintiffs") on behalf of Double Crown Resources, Inc. ("Double Crown" or "the
company"), based on, *inter alia*, a review of publicly available information, including Securities
and Exchange Commission ("SEC") filings by Double Crown, media reports about Double

Crown, and other court pleadings concerning the defendants, allege upon personal knowledge as to themselves and their own acts, and upon information and belief as to all other matters:

INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

1. Plaintiffs derivatively on behalf of nominal defendant Double Crown seek relief for the damages sustained, and to be sustained, by Double Crown, against certain current and former top executives, its corporate counsel, and its Board of Directors (“the board”), for violations of state and federal law, including their breaches of fiduciary duties, abuse of control, gross mismanagement, waste of corporate assets, and unjust enrichment.

2. Double Crown’s senior management has engaged in certain transactions, such as issuing stock at below market value to themselves to reap thousands of dollars in windfall profits at the expense of the company. More recently, as could be ascertained by the announcement by the board in a news release on April 23, 2013, the board lowered the price of the company’s stock in order to fix a discount price on their non-brokered private placement funding, an abuse of control, and waste of assets motivated by self-dealing.

3. Double Crown’s current and/or former board members have acted in bad faith by continuing to refuse to release the restrictive legend on certain validly issued and registered shares of restrictive common stock, and coercing and/or colluding with the company’s counsel, Diane Dalmy, to retract legal opinions submitted to two different stock transfer agents.

4. Furthermore, Double Crown has failed to take steps to remove or control demonstrably incompetent and/or unethical advisors and counsel, such as Diane Dalmy, who has provided negligent advice, and/or has a conflict of interest with the company, and whose reputation harms the company’s image, reputation, and goodwill.

5. The Exchange Act requires the company to make all timely filings with the SEC. The Board of Directors is responsible for several, un-excused late filings. The board failed to file the company’s quarterly statement due in for the period ending March 31, 2012, due in June 2012, in derogation of their duty, and causing direct harm to the company. Instead, the Board filed Form 12b-25, “Notification of Late Filing.” This led to the company’s being de-listed on the Over-the-Counter Bulletin Board (OTCBB) as of May 30, 2012.

6. The unlawful conduct occurred while defendants were directing and/or advising the company. These directors authorized or failed to halt the unlawful conduct complained of herein in dereliction of their fiduciary duties to the company as directors and/or officers. Defendants' conduct has unjustly enriched Double Crown's top executives, including the management defendants identified below, and has exposed the company to great expense and liability, and caused and/or allowed the company to suffer potentially hundreds of thousands of dollars in harm, to the detriment of the company and its shareholders.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

7. This court has subject matter jurisdiction over this action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1332(a)(2). Plaintiffs and defendants are citizens of different states and the matter in controversy exceeds \$75,000, exclusive of interests and costs. This action is not a collusive one to confer jurisdiction on a court of the United States which it would not otherwise have.

8. The court has personal jurisdiction over each defendant because each defendant has committed acts related to the claims at issue in this complaint within this district, and one or more of the individual defendants are citizens of the State of Nevada.

9. Venue is proper in this judicial district pursuant to Section 27 of the Exchange Act and 28 U.S.C. §1391(a)(1) because one or more defendants either resides or maintains executives offices in this district, nominal defendant Double Crown is headquartered in this district and a substantial portion of the transactions and wrongs complained of herein occurred and continue to occur in this district. Moreover, defendants have received substantial compensation in this district by doing business here and engaging in numerous activities in this district.

PARTIES

10. Ms. Rutledge, an individual, is now, and at all relevant times herein was, a resident of British Columbia, Canada. Falco is a shareholder of Double Crown, and has continuously held the company's shares since approximately July 2009. Ms. Rutledge is the president of Falco.

11. Falco is a company headquartered in, and organized under the laws of

1 British Columbia, Canada. Falco is a shareholder of Double Crown, and has also continuously
2 held its shares since July 2009.

3 12. Nominal defendant Double Crown is a Nevada corporation founded in 2006,
4 with its principal place of located in Henderson, Nevada. Double Crown is a gold and mineral
5 mining, and natural resource exploration and development company. Double Crown is a rapidly
6 growing, closely-held, publicly traded company. Among other things, the company owns one
7 hundred percent interest in the Bateman gold property located in the Thunder Bay District of
8 Northwestern Ontario, Canada. The company also owns the McNab Molybdenum Property,
9 consisting of 334.809 hectares located near the headwaters of McNab Creek in Southwest
10 British Columbia. Double Crown is also currently targeting new properties in North, South, and
11 Latin America. Multiple oilfield service projects are reportedly currently in development.

12 13. Defendant Jerry Drew is the president and chief executive officer of Double
13 Crown, and is a resident of California.

14 14. Defendant Glenn Soler is a former member of the Board, and a resident of
15 Texas.

16 15. Defendant Diane Dalmy is an attorney for Double Crown, and a resident of
17 Colorado.

18 16. Defendant Allen Lopez is a member of the Board, and a resident of Houston,
19 Texas.

20 17. Defendant David Figuirodo is a former member of the Board, and a resident of
21 California.

22 18. Defendant Marc Duncan is a former member of the Board, and a resident of
23 California.

24 20. Defendant Antonio B. Castillo is a member of the Board, and upon information
25 and belief, a resident of Texas.

26 21. Defendant Keith Tubandt is a member of the Board, and upon information and
27 belief, a resident of Virginia.

28 22. Defendant Paul Murphy is a former member of the Board, and a resident of

1 Canada.

2 **OBLIGATIONS AND DUTIES OF THE DEFENDANTS**

3 23. By reason of their positions as directors, officers, and/or fiduciaries of the
4 company, and because of their ability to control the business, corporate and financial affairs of
5 the company, each of the defendants owed the company and its shareholders the duty to exercise
6 due care and diligence in the management and administration of the affairs of the company and
7 in the use and preservation of its property and assets; the duty of loyalty, to put the interests of
8 the company above their own financial interests; and the duty of candor, including full and
9 candid disclosure of all material facts related thereto.

10 24. Further, defendants owed a duty to the company and its shareholders to ensure
11 that the company operated in compliance with all applicable federal and state laws, rules, and
12 regulations, and that the company not engage in any unsafe, unsound, or illegal business
13 practices. The conduct of defendants complained of herein involves knowing violations of their
14 duties as directors, officers, and/or fiduciaries of the company, and the absence of good faith on
15 their part, which defendants were aware or should have been aware, posed a serious risk of harm
16 to the company.

17 25. To discharge these duties, defendants were required to exercise reasonable and
18 prudent supervision over the management, policies, practices, controls, legality, and financial
19 and corporate affairs of the company. By virtue of these obligations of ordinary care and
20 diligence, defendants were required among other things, to:

- 21 (a) manage, conduct, supervise, and direct the employees, businesses, and affairs of
22 the company in accordance with the laws, rules and regulations, and the charter
23 and bylaws of the company;
- 24 (b) neither violate nor knowingly or recklessly permit any officer, director, fiduciary,
25 or employee of the company to violate applicable laws, rules and regulations, and
26 to exercise reasonable control and supervision over such officers, directors,
27 fiduciaries, and/or employees; ensure the prudence and soundness of policies and
28 practices undertaken or proposed to be undertaken by the company;

- (c) remain informed as to how the company was, in fact, operating and upon receiving notice or information of unsafe, imprudent or unsound practices, to make reasonable investigation in connection therewith and to take steps to correct that condition or practice, including but not limited to, maintaining and implementing an adequate system of financial controls to gather and report information internally, to allow defendants to perform their oversight function properly to prevent the use of non-public corporate information for personal profit, and the wrongful manipulation of company stock prices, issuance, and/or transfer;
- (d) supervise the preparation and timely filing of all SEC filings, and to preserve and enhance the company's reputation as befits a public corporation and to maintain public trust and confidence in the company as a prudently managed institution fully capable of meeting its duties and obligations.

26. Defendants breached their duties of loyalty, full disclosure, due care and/or good faith by failing to timely file required filings, refusing to remove the legends from validly issued and registered shares of restricted stock, issuing penny stocks and artificially lowering the price of stock, and engaging unethical and disreputable advisors, among other things.

**DERIVATIVE ACTION, DEMAND LETTER,
AND DEMAND FUTILITY ALLEGATIONS**

27. Plaintiffs bring this action derivatively in the right and for the benefit for the company to redress the harm suffered, and to be suffered, by the company as a direct result of the breach of fiduciary duty, waste of corporate assets, and unjust enrichment, alleged herein. The company is named as a nominal defendant solely in a derivative capacity.

28. Plaintiffs will adequately and fairly represent the interest of the company in enforcing and prosecuting its rights.

29. Plaintiffs are and have continuously been owners of the company stock during the relevant period.

30. On or near June 26, 2012, plaintiffs made a demand on the board, individual

1 board members, and counsel for the company.

2 31. Plaintiffs' demand letter highlighted several breaches of duty, loyalty, and
3 improprieties as complained of herein. The demand letter exposed that defendants, and each of
4 them, had shown extremely poor judgment and fiscal irresponsibility in a way that undermines
5 shareholder trust, and most importantly, the well-being of the company. The demand letter laid
6 out the specifics of the board's mismanagement with a clear instruction that the board should
7 take immediate steps to remedy the identified problems for both the well-being of the company
8 and shareholders.

9 32. The board did nothing in response to the demand letter. Ms. Dalmy failed to
10 respond to two letters: The demand letter, which was also in part addressed to her, and another
11 letter separately addressed to her. Some members of the board refused service of the demand
12 letter, which was sent by certified mail. On or near July 9, 2012, then-president, David
13 Figueredo, replied to plaintiffs' letter alternately by disclaiming any responsibility for any of the
14 problems raised in the letter, and denying that the problems were worthy of concern, including
15 the board's absent or late filing, and continued reliance on Ms. Dalmy for advice even after she
16 had proven untrustworthy.

17 33. Plaintiffs thus have complied with the requirement of making a demand on the
18 board prior to bringing this derivative suit. And plaintiffs' demand letter has gone unheeded.

19 34. Any further demand on the board to bring this action on behalf of the company,
20 or to take any steps to correct the conduct complained of herein, would be futile.

21 35. All of the director defendants authorized, approved, or ratified, the acts
22 complained of herein.

23 36. The failure to comply with the requirements of timely filing, refusal to release
24 validly issued stocks, and employing disreputable counsel, among other things complained of
25 herein, are not within the director defendants' business judgment, and they are not protected by
26 that doctrine.

27 37. The director defendants' artificial lowering of stock prices and issuance of penny
28 stocks to themselves and/or any insider trading are unlawful and not protected by the business

1 judgment rule. Further, any suit by the defendants to remedy these particular allegations could
2 also expose them to suit for securities fraud. Thus, they are conflicted and are not able to make
3 an independent determination of a demand that they would cause the company to bring this
4 action.

5 38. All of the defendants participated in, approved, or permitted the wrongs alleged
6 herein to have occurred and participated in efforts to conceal or disguise those wrongs from the
7 company shareholders and/or acting in negligence disregarded the wrongs complained of herein,
8 even when the same were pointed out to the directors in plaintiffs' demand letter, and are
9 therefore not disinterested parties. The company remains under the control and influence of the
10 Board, and is unable to protect itself or remedy the wrongs inflicted upon it.

11 GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

12 Late Filings

13 39. The board is responsible for several, un-excused late SEC filings. Among others,
14 the board failed to file the company's quarterly statement for the period ending March 31, 2012,
15 which was due in June 2012, in derogation of their fiduciary duty, and inexplicably filing
16 instead, Form 12b-25, "Notification of Late Filing."

17 40. Unfortunately for the company, any late filing harms the company's reputation,
18 image, and goodwill. The late filing of a required statement is a typical indicator of a company
19 having financial troubles—in this case, the board gave the impression that the company was not
20 doing well, a detriment to instilling public confidence and positive valuation of its stock.

21 41. Additionally, the board's late filings led to the company's being de-listed on the
22 Over-the-Counter Bulletin Board (OTCBB) as of May 30, 2012. As is well-known in the
23 industry, a company is usually de-listed because of a major financial event or management
24 decision that makes the company's future bleak. Accordingly, the company's not being
25 permitted to trade on OTCBB constituted a significant devaluation for the company.

26 42. The company then had to trade on the OTC Markets Group, Inc. on the
27 "OTCQB" tier. OTCQB is a daily publication compiled by the National Quotation Bureau
28 (NQB) with bid and ask prices of over-the-counter (OTC) stocks, and publishes the quotations

1 in heretofore paper-based pink sheets. (Thus, this tier is often referred to as “Pink Sheets”).

2 There are no financial or qualitative standards to be in this tier of trading.

3 43. For this reason, the SEC regards companies trading on OTCQB as among the
4 most risky in terms of investment. By causing the company to have to trade on OTCQB, the
5 board, by its actions and/or omissions unquestionably degraded the company’s value.

6 44. Furthermore, when Allen Lopez became a director, which occurred on or near
7 April 13, 2012, he failed to file his SEC Form 3 Statement of Beneficial Ownership, as was
8 required within a short time of his having become a director. This constituted another late filing
9 that betokened fiscal irresponsibility, violated the rules, and caused harm to the company.

10 45. Yet, in response to the plaintiffs’ demand letter about the late filings, former
11 president of the board, Mr. Figuiredo, denied responsibility and essentially laid fault for the
12 company’s late filings at the feet of the company’s prior accounting firm, Seale & Beers. Mr.
13 Figuiredo falsely implied, without explaining, that the hiring of Seale & Beers was at least partly
14 the fault of the plaintiffs.

15 46. Mr. Figuiredo also impliedly blamed the late filings on the plaintiffs, falsely
16 alleging that the plaintiffs had “control” of the company’s books and records. The books and
17 records, though, were, and are, in the board’s possession and control. Mr. Figuiredo also
18 denied, in the face of clear evidence of the same, that the company had been de-listed.

19 47. The combined non-action and non-response of the board, which, as has been
20 mentioned, included refusing service of the demand letter, along with Mr. Figuiredo’s non-
21 acceptance of responsibility for the company’s problems all leads to the reasonable conclusion
22 that the board is abusing its control and grossly mismanaging the company.

23 48. The defendants have in all of this, acted in a manner contrary to the best interests
24 of the company and to the shareholders.

25 **Stock Transfer**

26 49. Shareholders in the company have been unable to remove the restrictive legend
27 from approximately 12,852,500 of registered shares of restricted common stock.

28 50. Diane Dalmy, who serves as in-house counsel for Double Crown, provided

1 legal opinions for founder shares in the name of Denarii Capital Enterprises Ltd. Subsequently,
2 the restrictive legend has been removed from approximately 13,147,500 shares which have been
3 transferred and deposited into CEDE & CO., a large clearinghouse that holds shares in its name
4 for banks, brokers, and institutions in order to expedite the sale and transfer of stock.
5 Shareholders have been unable to remove the restrictive legend that was eligible to be removed
6 in October 2012 from approximately 12,852,500 of registered shares of restricted common
7 stock.

8 51. Nonetheless, when shareholders have attempted to have the restrictive legend
9 removed, they were unable to. The company's stock transfer agent in Florida, Island Stock
10 Transfer, disclosed to shareholders that the board had restricted the transfer. The board has
11 inexplicably refused to allow shareholders to have these restrictive legends removed from
12 validly issued and registered shares of restrictive common stock.

13 52. For reasons not disclosed to shareholders, the company changed stock transfer
14 agents from Island Stock Transfer in Florida to Empire Transfer Stock Company in Henderson,
15 Nevada. Empire Transfer Stock Company also disclosed that the board had called into question
16 the legitimacy of the shares and refused to have the restrictive legend removed.

17 53. Either the board or Ms. Dalmy has directly contradicted Ms. Dalmy's prior legal
18 opinion by calling into question the legitimacy of the disputed shares for which Ms. Dalmy
19 provided her opinion. Thus, the board has either unjustifiably questioned Ms. Dalmy's opinion,
20 or Ms. Dalmy's opinion is itself questionable.

21 54. In either scenario, the board has failed to protect shareholders from
22 negligent legal advice, and further, has done nothing to prevent or rectify the situation where
23 shareholders are being impeded from legitimately transferring their shares. Such an
24 unjustifiable and unacceptable business practice obviously damages shareholders and ultimately
25 the company itself.

26 55. Worse, neither the board nor Ms. Dalmy has ever responded to shareholders'
27 inquiries about this situation, including regarding the time when the shares will be released.

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1 56. In particular, when Ms. Rutledge and Falco have repeatedly contacted the board
2 and Ms. Dalmy for an explanation as to why they are purporting that the shares were improperly
3 issued, neither Ms. Dalmy nor the board ever responded.

4 57. Neither did the board take steps to rectify the situation, nor did Ms. Dalmy ever
5 revise her opinion so that the shareholders may retrieve the shares. There is no reason why the
6 shares, which have been all issued, should not be released. Yet, the board unjustifiably
7 continues to block the restriction from being lifted, and Ms. Dalmy has persisted in retracting
8 her former legal opinion.

9 58. After repeated inquiries, Ms. Dalmy finally informed shareholders that she has
10 been generally instructed by the board not to provide a legal opinion on shares eligible to have
11 the restriction removed. There can be no valid business judgment justification for this stance.
12 The board has coerced and/or colluded with Ms. Dalmy to have Ms. Dalmy
13 retract legal opinions submitted to the two different stock transfer agents.

14 59. All the shareholders have lost the opportunity to sell those shares when the stock
15 went as high as \$.049 in February 2012, but which price then sunk to significantly below that.
16 The stock price then again went up to \$.0625 on April 4, 2013, but again the shareholders were
17 unable to capitalize on this increase.

18 60. Mr. Figueredo disregarded plaintiffs' request, made in the demand letter, that the
19 restrictive legend on the shares be removed. Instead, he alleged that "numerous" shareholder
20 requests had been honored, and falsely stated that 18,850,000 shares of common stock had been
21 removed. Yet, the plaintiffs understand, on information and belief, that no shareholder requests
22 have been honored, and numerous shareholders are still adversely affected by the problem of the
23 restrictive legends, including the plaintiffs.

24 61. The company's shares have been increased as of April 2011. In the company's
25 annual SEC Form 10-K that it filed for the period ending December 31, 2010, the board
26 acknowledged that the company "is obliged to issue convertible notes with the same terms as
27 disclosed [herein] upon increasing its authorized shares to a level that would allow enough
28 shares to be issued, to replace the...quarterly debt amounts. When the debt amounts become

1 convertible, another 19,193,100 common shares would be issuable at the option of the note
2 holder.” Yet the board refuses to comply with its recognized obligations.

3 62. As of June 2011, an additional sum of \$366,275.00 should have been authorized
4 and converted to common shares. But the board did not comply. And the resulting problems
5 from their failure to comply only continue to increase. Per the Form 10-K filed for the period
6 ending December 31, 2012, the debt with interest has grown to \$801,192.00.

7 63. As then-president, Mr. Figuiredo’s response was woefully inadequate to address
8 the plaintiffs’ valid and sincere concerns about the activities of the company, especially as
9 regards the restrictive legends on the shares, and attests to the company’s abuse of control and
10 gross mismanagement.

11 **Negligent Advisors**

12 64. The board has breached its duty to ensure that the professionals it consults are
13 competent and worthy of trust. Specifically, the board has acted unreasonably in hiring and
14 retaining Ms. Dalmy as counsel for the company. Ms. Dalmy is posted as a prohibited attorney
15 on the OTC Markets Group website. OTC Market Group operates an electronic inter-dealer
16 quotation system used by broker-dealers to trade securities not listed on a national securities
17 exchange such as NASDAQ or NYSE. As a result of her prohibited status, Ms. Dalmy may not
18 submit attorney letters or legal opinions to OTC Markets Group. This is a move ordinarily
19 taken because of inconsistency and/or unreliability of an attorney’s counsel.

20 65. Ms. Dalmy has refused to respond to shareholder inquiries, violating her duty
21 to provide prompt communications to members of the company. And she has also served
22 individually as counsel to Ms. Rutledge and Falco at the same time that she has served as
23 counsel for the company, which represents a conflict of interest insofar as Ms. Rutledge and
24 Falco are shareholders who, among other things, oppose the company’s decision (by means of
25 the board) to withhold the transfer of the aforementioned shares. Continuing to represent these
26 entities in the presence of an apparent conflict constitutes negligence.

27 66. Moreover, Ms. Dalmy has negligently advised the company, and breached her
28 fiduciary duties, by failing to authorize a \$334,313.29 debt owed to Falco to be converted into

1 common shares. The paperwork was completed, signed, and the resolutions by the board to
2 issue those shares. The board has directed Ms. Dalmy to increase the authorized shares of the
3 common stock from 100 million to 500,000 million. But Ms. Dalmy did not timely comply
4 with this requirement, resulting in 19,193,100 common shares being rescinded until the
5 company's authorized shares were increased to allow enough shares to be issued. 13,238,220
6 shares were authorized to be issued but ultimately blocked. This was another incidence of Ms.
7 Dalmy's incompetence.

8 67. Plaintiffs, in particular, had specifically asked Ms. Dalmy to increase the
9 authorized shares, and as the company's lawyer, she should have been aware and sensitive to
10 this issue. Per Jerry Drew, current president of the company, the aforementioned shares
11 were eventually issued but were then rescinded again. But such inconsistency unquestionably
12 hurts not only shareholders but the company as well.

13 68. Indeed, as aforementioned, Ms. Dalmy has been banned from Pink Sheets. Not
14 only that, Ms. Dalmy has the dubious distinction of being only one of 18 lawyers relegated to
15 Pink Sheets' "Hall of Shame." Thirteen of Ms. Dalmy's lawyer cohorts on the list have been
16 cited by the SEC for securities breaches.

17 69. Companies that have trusted in Ms. Dalmy's advice have gone belly-up, or have
18 been investigated by the SEC. Stunningly, several of the clients for which Ms. Dalmy has
19 provided legal advice have been banned by the SEC. Perhaps more disturbing, one of the
20 companies that Ms. Dalmy advises, or used to advise, Lexington Resources, was found not to
21 have properly registered its shares. That company was eventually ordered to disgorge more than
22 \$2 million as a penalty and recompense.

23 70. Such an indictment in the industry, and in the public eye, of Ms. Dalmy is
24 shocking and should be actionable. Yet, the board turns a blind eye to it. The board continues
25 to make Ms. Dalmy its, and the company's, most trusted legal advisor, with little to no
26 oversight, and relies upon her to assure that the board and the company carry out their legal
27 obligations. This is an egregious breach of the board's fiduciary duty.

28 71. It should be obvious to the board that even if Ms. Dalmy has not behaved

1 unethically or incompetently in her role as the company's lawyer, her reputation for unethical
2 dealings and incompetence cast a pall on the legitimacy of Double Crown and seriously harms
3 the company.

4 72. An observer might draw the reasonable, though false, conclusion that Double
5 Crown is among those disreputable companies that have drawn Ms. Dalmy's assistance. Few
6 investors would want to risk investing in such a company. This has undoubtedly already
7 occurred and continues to occur, and such harm to the company's image and goodwill is
8 irreparable.

9 73. Ms. Dalmy has also mis-advised Double Crown and may potentially have
10 exposed, and continue to expose, the company to liability for inappropriate registration of
11 shares, and activities that are deemed illegal and/or unethical by the SEC.

12 74. It is not in the company's best interest to retain in-house counsel whose most
13 salient securities experience has been gained by helping companies that are known to be
14 disreputable and/or risky companies and/or investors.

15 75. Ms. Dalmy's serious mis-steps in advising the company, such as issuing and then
16 retracting opinion letters for shares is enough to indicate that she is simply not up to the ethical
17 or legal task of adequately advising the board about its responsibilities to the company and its
18 shareholders.

19 76. Ms. Dalmy's failure to explain her mistake—either by her legal opinion, or her
20 retraction—and complete stonewalling silence to the company and shareholders is appalling. She
21 even refused to respond by letter or otherwise to plaintiffs' counsel's letters prior to the bringing
22 of this action. Ms. Dalmy refuses to respond to any of the shareholders who have contacted her
23 about the restrictive shares problems or other perceived legal issues affecting the company.

24 77. Ms. Dalmy does not return any phone calls or emails. Ms. Dalmy has proven
25 herself incompetent at guiding this company on the complex, ever-changing, and highly-
26 nuanced demands of providing legal advice regarding securities and other important matters to
27 the company. Yet, the demand to the board to remove Ms. Dalmy has been to no avail.

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78. The board has also erred in taking the advice of Norm Newsom, an individual who is notorious for his unprincipled approach to securities trading, and was convicted of embezzlement in Canada in or near 1982. Several years ago, Mr. Newsom was under criminal investigation for another securities-related crime. While he was an advisor to the board, Norm Newsom made investments to the detriment of the company, and held and/or operated companies with interests in conflict with the company's, with the consent of the Board, who largely turned a blind eye to Mr. Newsom's activities, which also hurt the company.

79. That the board ever consulted with Mr. Newsom as a "special advisor" is extremely problematic. Yet, the board continued to consult with Mr. Newsom, and follow his advice, even after it had evidence, or reasonably should have known, of Mr. Newsom's sordid background in the securities industry, and his having fallen again under investigation.

80. The board's actions in consulting with Mr. Newsom, as well as Ms. Dalmy, have caused confusion and uncertainty with shareholders, and must be enjoined from arbitrarily providing opinions and then retracting them, to the detriment of shareholders.

81. As a result of the board's actions, the company has already suffered, and will continue to suffer substantial financial damage. The company's goodwill and reputation have also been damaged.

Lowered Stocks

82. The company issued penny stocks in contravention of the company, as evinced by the company's 8-K dated September 15, 2011, filed with the SEC.

83. The company issued to Mr. Figuirodo an aggregate of 6,000,000 shares of its restricted common stock at the artificially deflated price of \$0.005. The company issued 5,000,000 shares of its restricted common stock at the same artificially deflated price of \$0.005 to Jerry Drew; 4,000,000 shares of its restricted common stock at \$0.005 to Glenn Soler; and 3,000,000 shares of restricted common stock at \$0.005 to Tricia Oakley, a secretary employed with the company. This persistent re-issuance of cheap stock has resulted in dilution to existing shareholders, and damaged the financial interests of the shareholders as well as the company.

84. The penny stock issuances have also depressed the value of the company for the sake of enriching the aforementioned Board members, or former Board members, and are inappropriate and unnecessary compensation.

85. This is no more apparent than for Mr. Figuiredo and Ms. Oakley, who have or had little to no previous experience in managing a publicly traded company. Nor do they, or until recently, anyone else on the Board, have any technical or mining experience.

86. The company even admitted in its Form 10-K, dated December 31, 2011, that its officers and directors serve only part-time, and devote part of their working time to other business endeavors.

87. More recently, as could be ascertained by the announcement by the board in a news release on April 23, 2013, the board lowered the price of the company's stock in order to fix a discount price on their non-brokered private placement funding, an abuse of control and waste of assets apparently motivated by self-dealing.

FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION
(Breach of Fiduciary Duty - All Defendants)

88. Plaintiffs repeat and reallege each and every allegation contained in the foregoing paragraphs as though they were fully set forth at length herein.

The Board of Directors

89. The board owes the company fiduciary obligations. The company's bylaws, articles of incorporation, other company papers, as well as the common law specifically set forth the duties of loyalty, care, and good faith that board members are required to fulfill on behalf of the company. The violation and/or omission of any of these duties constitutes a breach of fiduciary duty.

90. In addition, under Nevada law, the board bears ultimate responsibility for the management of the company. Nevada Revised Statutes §78.120 provides that "the board of directors has full control over the affairs of the corporation."

91. Nevada law also places limits on directors' discretion so that corporations might

1 act lawfully and serve the interest of their shareholders. Nevada Revised Statutes §78.138
2 provides, “Directors and officers shall exercise their powers in good faith and with a view to the
3 interests of the corporation.”

4 92. The common law fiduciary duties of loyalty, care, and good faith require the
5 board to strictly avoid any conflict between duty and self-interest. Undivided allegiance to the
6 corporation’s best interest is required.

7 93. The board has breached its fiduciary duty by, among other things, self-dealing, or
8 using their position for personal profit at the expense of the company.

9 94. The board has also breached its fiduciary duty by failing to establish and
10 maintain adequate internal controls to ensure the company is operated in a prudent and lawful
11 manner.

12 95. The board’s failure to operate in a prudent and lawful manner is demonstrated,
13 among other things, by the company’s and/or board’s failure to timely file required forms. The
14 board has an obligation to ensure that the company complied with the law, including making
15 timely filings.

16 96. Among other things, the board also has a duty to ensure that shareholders have
17 their restrictive legends removed from validly issued and registered shares of restrictive
18 common stock. The board’s continuing failure to do so constitutes a breach of its fiduciary
19 duties.

20 97. Among other things, the board also had a duty to ensure that the company
21 appropriately issued shares at market prices. The board’s self-dealing by endorsing shares at
22 below-market prices violates its fiduciary duties. That the board did this, and continues to do
23 this, without informing shareholders is an egregious breach of its duties. For example, among
24 other things, the shareholders had to find out about the board’s lowering of stock prices for a
25 private placement in the company’s press release.

26 98. Moreover, the board has a duty to ensure that the professionals they consult are
27 competent and worthy of the trust reposed by the company by way of its board.

28 99. The board’s behavior in its continued relationship with Ms. Dalmy, and

perhaps Mr. Newsom, constitutes a breach of fiduciary duty and attenuates any appeal that the board may make to reasonable business judgment.

100. The board also has unreasonably and recklessly reposed trust in Ms. Dalmy as the company's in-house counsel's reputation as a securities lawyer is abysmal. As mentioned, Ms. Dalmy has been prohibited from providing legal opinions and letters to the OTC Markets Group. Media reports also indicate the board's folly in turning to Ms. Dalmy for advice for the company, and/or allowing her to operate as the company's in-house counsel.

101. Ms. Dalmy's continued involvement with the company is clearly not a benefit to the company. That the board continues to keep her on in the face of the overwhelming evidence showing that Ms. Dalmy is not an appropriate choice for legal counsel speaks to some secret self-interested relationship or transaction, which also breaches the board's fiduciary duty.

102. All of the allegations reveal that the board has knowingly participated in, approved and permitted the wrongs and/or conflicts of interest herein to have occurred, and the board has benefitted from the wrongdoing. As such, the board is not entitled to the protection of the business judgment rule.

Diane Dalmy

103. By virtue of her status and position as an attorney for the company, Ms. Dalmy owes the company fiduciary obligations. As a result of the attorney-client relationship, Ms. Dalmy owes the company a duty of care and skill. She owes Double Crown the fiduciary duty to act at all times in good faith and in the company's best interest. Among other things, she has a duty to perform the services for which she was retained with reasonable care and skill. The violation and/or omission of any of her duties constitutes a breach of fiduciary duty.

104. Ms. Dalmy has breached her fiduciary duty to the company as its counsel by, among other things, writing a legal opinion to release the restrictive legend on the aforementioned set of shares, and then, without any apparent justification, removing her legal opinion which has left the company's shareholders without recourse to shares that are legitimately theirs, and eligible for redemption. Such action has caused the shareholders

1 damage due to the fluctuation in stock price for which the shareholders could not take
2 advantage, and still cannot.

3 105. Ms. Dalmy has also breached her fiduciary duty to the company as its counsel by
4 failing to maintain her independence as the company's counsel and, upon information and
5 belief, bending to the board's will in retracting her opinion regarding the aforementioned shares,
6 Ms. Dalmy has also breached her fiduciary duties to the plaintiffs in particular to whom she has
7 acted as counsel, in conflict with her duties as counsel for the company.

8 106. Ms. Dalmy has breached her fiduciary duty by failing to communicate with the
9 company's shareholders. Ms. Dalmy does not return phone calls and has sealed herself off from
10 the numerous queries from shareholders, including the plaintiffs. A letter that plaintiffs'
11 counsel sent to Ms. Dalmy requesting information about the subject shares—separate from the
12 demand letter that plaintiffs sent to the board—went completely unanswered. Ms. Dalmy did not
13 even acknowledge receiving the letter, which was delivered to her by certified mail.

14 107. Ms. Dalmy has breached her fiduciary duty by failing to supervise, or negligently
15 supervising the attorney whom she selected to assist her in dispatching her legal duties for the
16 company, Michael Woodford. Mr. Woodford also gave a legal opinion in favor of removing the
17 restrictive legend and then retracted it, just as Ms. Dalmy had done. An attorney exercising the
18 knowledge, skill, and ability ordinarily possessed and exercised by members of the legal
19 profession in similar circumstances would not have engaged in this conduct.

20 108. The board and Ms. Dalmy have a duty not to do anything or omit doing
21 something that would cause the company to suffer a loss of goodwill. As a direct and proximate
22 result of all of the defendants' breach of the fiduciary duties, Double Crown has been damaged,
23 not only financially, but also to its corporate image and goodwill.

24 109. As a result of the misconduct alleged herein, the defendants are all liable to the
25 company, and their continuing violations of duty should be enjoined.

26 **SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION**
27 **(Waste of Corporate Assets - Director Defendants)**

28 110. Plaintiffs repeat and reallege each and every allegation contained in the

1 foregoing paragraphs as though they were fully set forth at length herein.

2 111. As a direct and proximate result of the defendants' conscious breaches of their
3 fiduciary duties of loyalty, good faith, and due care, defendants have wasted, and continue to
4 waste, precious corporate assets and thus, the company has been harmed. As a result of the
5 misconduct alleged herein, each defendant is liable to the company for their waste of thousands
6 of corporate assets in inappropriately issuing stocks below market value.

7 112. This action therefore seeks restitution to Double Crown for the wasteful acts of
8 improperly awarding stocks at a lower price than their worth, for artificially lowering stocks for
9 the sake of a private placement of investors, and for the costs and expenses that have, and will
10 be paid, by the company as a result of the defendants' wrongdoing.

11 113. As a direct and proximate result of defendants' wrongful conduct, the company
12 has suffered damages in an amount to be proven at trial. The defendants are also liable to the
13 plaintiffs for attorneys' fees and punitive damages.

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15 **THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION**
(Unjust Enrichment-Director Defendants)

16 114. Plaintiffs repeat and reallege each and every allegation contained in the
17 foregoing paragraphs as though they were fully set forth at length herein.

18 115. As a result of the issuance of penny stocks and deliberate lowering of stock
19 prices, the director defendants have been and will be unjustly enriched at the expense of and to
20 the detriment of the company.

21 116. Accordingly, this court should order the director defendants to disgorge all
22 profits, benefits, and other compensation obtained by the director defendants, and each of them,
23 from their wrongful conduct and fiduciary breaches described herein, and should order the
24 options held by the director defendants, which have not been exercised, to be repriced at the
25 market price of the company's stock on the dates that those options were granted, and/or the
26 dates that the court finds occurred before the board's decision to artificially lower them.

FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION
(Gross Mismanagement-Director Defendants)

117. Plaintiffs repeat and reallege each and every allegation contained in the foregoing paragraphs as though they were fully set forth at length herein.

118. By their actions alleged herein, the director defendants abandoned and abdicated their responsibilities and fiduciary duties with regard to prudently managing the assets and business of the company in a manner consistent with the operations of a publicly held corporation.

119. As a direct and proximate result of the director defendants' gross mismanagement and breaches of duty alleged herein, the company has sustained and will continue to sustain significant damages in the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

120. As a result of the misconduct and breaches of duty alleged herein, the defendants are liable to the company. The defendants are also liable to the plaintiffs for attorneys' fees and punitive damages.

FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION
(Preliminary and Permanent Injunction)

121. Plaintiffs repeat and reallege each and every allegation contained in the foregoing paragraphs as though they were fully set forth at length herein.

122. The defendants' refusal to release the restrictive legend on the shares is a breach of fiduciary duty, as is the defendants' issuing below market shares.

123. The plaintiffs seek a permanent injunction enjoining the defendants to release the restrictive legend of the stocks in question. This action also seeks to enjoin future breaches of fiduciary duty and issuance of below-market shares of stock.

124. The plaintiffs also seek to enjoin the defendants from inappropriate issuances of below market shares without prior shareholder notice and approval.

125. The board should immediately remove from her position as counsel, Ms. Dalmy.

126. The benefits of and/or detriment related to the board's actions, as well as the

1 potential harm, are speculative and therefore would be difficult to remunerate with money
2 damages.

3 127. The plaintiffs enjoy a likelihood of success on the merits and will be
4 irreparably harmed in the absence of enjoining the board from continuing to withhold the shares.

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6 **PRAYER FOR RELIEF**

7 WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs pray for the following relief:

8 1. Awarding against all defendants, and each of them, and in favor of Double
9 Crown, the damages sustained by the company as a result of defendants' breaches of their
10 fiduciary duties;

11 2. Awarding to Double Crown restitution from the defendants, and each of them,
12 and ordering disgorgement of all profits, benefits and other compensation obtained by the
13 defendants;

14 3. Enjoining the removal of any and all improper restrictive legends on the shares in
15 question;

16 4. Directing the Board to take all necessary actions to reform and improve its
17 corporate governance and internal procedures, to comply with the company's existing
18 governance obligations and all applicable laws, and to protect the company and its shareholders
19 from a recurrence of the damaging events described herein;

20 5. To remove from the company negligent and/or unethical advisors, including the
21 company's counsel, Diane Dalmy;

22 6. Extraordinary equitable and/or injunctive relief as permitted by law, equity,
23 and/or any state statutory provisions, including declaring the improper lowering of stock prices
24 complained of herein as null and void, and attaching, impounding, imposing a constructive trust
25 on or otherwise restricting the proceeds of defendants' trading activities or their assets so as to
26 assure the plaintiffs on behalf of the company has an effective remedy;

27 7. Awarding to the plaintiffs the costs and disbursements of the action, including
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1 reasonable attorneys' fees, accountants' and experts' fees, costs, and expenses, as well as an
 2 award of punitive damages;

3 8. For any other relief that the court deems appropriate.

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 5 Dated this 3rd day of May, 2013.

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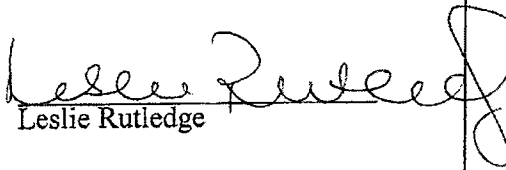
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13 **VERIFICATION**

14 I, Leslie Rutledge, as president of Falco Investments, Inc. ("Falco"), declare that I have
 15 reviewed the Verified Shareholder Derivative Complaint prepared on behalf of myself and
 16 Falco, and authorize its filing. I have reviewed the allegations made in the complaint, and to
 17 those allegations of which I have personal knowledge, I believe those allegations to be true. As
 18 to those allegations of which I do not have personal knowledge, I rely on my counsel and their
 19 investigation and for that reason believe them to be true. I further declare that Falco is a current
 20 holder, and has been a holder of Double Crown common stock at all relevant times.

21 Dated this 3 of May, 2013.

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JURY DEMAND

Plaintiffs demand a trial by jury.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 2013.

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